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1. The airfield was 1 to 2 km southwest of Balakhna (56°29'N/43°36'E), Gorki Oblast, west of the double-track railroad line to Gorki (56°20'N/44°00'E). It was surrounded by woods. Neither hangars nor buildings were seen.
2. The flying activity indicated that the field was occupied by twin-engine aircraft and cargo gliders. Description of cargo glider: Round, cigar-shaped fuselage, upper section of nose presumably of plexiglass, landing skid, one window. Not more than three towing aircraft were seen in the air at the same time.
3. Four-engine planes with noses extending far beyond the leading edge of the wings made frequent intermediate landings at the field, first in early 1943. The aircraft, usually flying in formations of three to seven planes, came from the east and left toward Gorki.

Attachment: Sketch of Balakhna airfield.

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